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New U.S. Patent Application

Title: Methods And Systems For Providing An Electronic
Account To A Customer

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Sir:

We enclose the following pages for filing in the United States Patent and
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1. Application - 77 pages, including 28 independent claims and 78 claims total.
2. Drawings - 64 sheets of drawings (Figs. 1 - 39).
3. A check for \$3754.00 representing a \$710.00 filing fee and \$3044.00 for additional claims.

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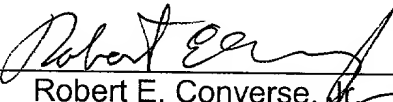
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